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TO:

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FROM:

Thomas L. Portle

SUBJECT:

Getty Response to October 7, 1982 letter.

DATE:

January 7, 1983

Stipulation

- 1. The original comment reflected the tone of uncertainty regarding the topsoil storage location which was previously expressed by the operator. The Division has and continues to desire an input regarding the selection of topsoil storage locations. The Division does not wish to be put in the position where the lack of immediate objection precludes further input. Rather, when the final choice of location is arrived at we wish to comment on it as it will be a bit of information not previously included in the permit application and certainly one worthy of our attention.
- Define significant.
- 3. Are all the locations which appear on map FSK FC-37 to be utilized or does this party a range of potential sites?

Are all these sites above the highwater mark of the tailings dam (7270 feet)?

No attempt has been made to designate which storage locations are at their full storage volume (those not to be further disturbed) and which are "active" (receiving additional inputs of topsoil).

The number of potential topsoil sites appears to have increased.

8. With regard to the selection of the 93 acres of dump slope which will not be retopsoiled, please shed light on how test plot results will be utilized in making these selection decisions.

TLP/lm